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11. (SBU) According to Policy Advisor for Humanitarian Affairs and Disaster Response Sarah Robertson of the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Affairs (DFAIT), DFAIT's Director General for Stabilization and Reconstruction Elissa Goldberg spoke out at the UNHCR's Executive Committee meeting on the need for additional land for another refugee camp in Kenya, specifically in response to reftel demarche that PolMinCouns had delivered in Ottawa on September 28. Robertson added that the Canadian Embassy in Nairobi would next be following up with GOK officials.

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